Table 1A. Estimated Measures of Sampling Variability for Sales and Inventories of U.S. Merchant Wholesalers: 2002 through 2006

[Estimates are shown as percents and are based on data from the Annual Wholesale Trade Survey.

Sales U.S. Merchant Wholesalers 0.0 0.0 0.4 0.7 0.7 0.9	2002 NAICS	Data Item	Is percents and are based on data from the Annual Wholesale Tra- Kind of Business (sub-parts indicated by one or more leading dots)	Estimated Measures of Sampling Variability ¹				
Sales Durable goods 0.0 0.6 0.7 0.6 0.7 0.6 0.7 0.6 0.7 0.6 0.7 0.6 0.7 0.8 0.9 0.2 0.2 0.3 0.5 0.8 0.9 0.0	CODE		leading dots)	2002 ²	2003 ²	2004 ²	2005 ²	2006
Sales Motor Vehicle and Motor Vehicle Parts and Supplies 0.0 0.3 0.5 0.8 0.9	42	Sales	U.S. Merchant Wholesalers	0.0	0.4	0.7	0.7	0.9
4232 Sales "Furniture and Home Furnishings 0.0 1.0 2.6 2.8 3.3 4233 Sales "Lumber & Other Construction Materials 0.0 2.4 2.9 3.0 3.3 4234 Sales "Professional and Commercial Equipment and Supplies 0.0 1.6 2.5 2.6 2.8 4235 Sales "Metals and Minerals, ex. Petroleum 0.0 0.0 1.5 2.3 2.3 2.6 4237 Sales "Hatclas and Minerals, ex. Petroleum 0.0 0.7 2.1 2.9 3.2 2.6 4237 Sales "Hardware, and Plumbing and Heating Equipment and Supplies 0.0 0.7 2.1 2.9 3.2 2.6 4238 Sales "Hardware, and Plumbing and Heating Equipment and Supplies 0.0 0.7 2.1 2.9 3.2 2.6 4243 Sales "Machinery, Equipment, and Supplies 0.0 0.7 2.1 2.9 3.2 2.7 3.7 4241 Sales "Paper and Pap	423	Sales	.Durable goods	0.0	0.6	0.7	0.6	0.7
Sales Lumber & Other Construction Materials 0.0 2.4 2.9 3.0 3.3	4231	Sales	Motor Vehicle and Motor Vehicle Parts and Supplies	0.0	0.3	0.5	0.8	0.9
Again Sales Professional and Commercial Equipment and Supplies 0.0 1.6 2.5 2.6 2.8	4232	Sales	Furniture and Home Furnishings	0.0	1.0	2.6	2.8	3.3
August Sales Computer and Computer Peripheral Equipment and Software 0.0 0.9 1.8 2.5 2.6 2.8	4233	Sales	Lumber & Other Construction Materials	0.0	2.4	2.9	3.0	3.3
August Sales Metals and Minorals, ex. Petroleum 0.0 0.9 1.8 2.0 2.2 2.2 2.3 2.3 2.4 2.3	4234	Sales	Professional and Commercial Equipment and Supplies	0.0	1.2	1.7	1.8	2.1
A236 Sales .Electrical Goods	42343	Sales	Computer and Computer Peripheral Equipment and Software	0.0	1.6	2.5	2.6	2.8
Sales Hardware, and Plumbing and Heating Equipment and Supplies 0.0 0.7 2.1 2.9 3.4		Sales	Metals and Minerals, ex. Petroleum		0.9	1.8		2.2
Sales	4236	Sales	Electrical Goods	0.0	1.5	2.3	2.3	2.6
A239	4237	Sales	Hardware, and Plumbing and Heating Equipment and Supplies	0.0	0.7	2.1	2.9	3.4
Sales		Sales	Machinery, Equipment, and Supplies	0.0				
Sales Paper and Paper Products 0.0 1.1 2.3 3.0 3.3 3.4 3.5 3.9 4.1 3.4 3.4 3.5 3.9 4.1 3.4 3.4 3.5 3.9 4.1 3.4 3.5 3.9 3.6 3.7 3.9 3.6 3.7 3.9 3.6 3.7 3.9 3.6 3.7 3.9 3.6 3.7 3.9 3.6 3.7 3.9 3.6 3.7 3.9 3.6 3.7 3.9 3.6 3.7 3.9 3.6 3.7 3.9 3.6 3.7 3.9 3.6 3.7 3.9 3.6 3.7 3.9 3.6 3.7 3.9 3.6 3.7 3.9 3.6 3.7 3.9 3.6 3.7 3.9 3.6 3.1 3.0 2.8 3.5 3.9 4.1 3.5 3.0 2.8 3.5 3.9 4.1 3.5 3.0 2.8 3.5 3.9 3.5 3.9 3.1 3.0 2.8 3.5 3.9 3.1 3.0 2.8 3.5 3.9 3.1 3.0 2.8 3.5 3.9 3.1 3.0 2.8 3.5 3.9 3.1 3.0 2.8 3.5 3.9 3.1 3.0 2.8 3.5 3.9 3.1 3.0 2.8 3.5 3.9 3.1 3.0 2.8 3.5 3.9 3.1 3.0 2.8 3.5 3.1 3.0 2.8 3.5 3.1 3.0 2.8 3.5 3.1 3.0 2.8 3.5 3.1 3.0 2.8 3.5 3.1 3.0 2.8 3.5 3.1 3.0 2.8 3.5 3.9 3.1 3.0 2.8 3.5 3.9 3.1 3.0 2.8 3.5 3.9 3.1 3.0 2.8 3.5 3.1 3.0 2.8 3.5 3.1 3.0 2.8 3.5 3.1 3.0 2.8 3.5 3.1 3.0 2.8 3.5 3.1 3.5 3.1 3.5 3.1 3.5 3.1 3.5 3.1 3.5 3.1 3.5 3.1 3.5 3.1 3.5 3.1 3.5 3.1 3.5 3.1 3.5 3.1 3.5 3.1 3.5 3.1 3.5 3.1 3.5 3.1 3.5 3.5 3.5 3.5 3.5 3.5 3.5 3.5 3.5 3.5 3.5 3.5 3.5 3.5 3.5 3.5 3.5	4239	Sales	Miscellaneous Durable Goods	0.0	2.2	2.9	3.2	3.7
4242 Sales Drugs and Druggists' Sundries 0.0 1.0 3.9 3.8 4.0 4243 Sales Apparel, Piece Goods, and Notions 0.0 1.3 2.2 2.6 2.8 4244 Sales Groceries and Related Products 0.0 1.8 3.1 3.3 3.4 4245 Sales Farm Product Raw Materials 0.0 0.9 3.6 3.7 3.9 4246 Sales Chemicals and Allied Products 0.0 0.9 3.6 3.7 3.9 4248 Sales Detroleum and Petroleum Products 0.0 0.9 3.6 3.7 3.9 4248 Sales Beer, Wine, and Distilled Alcoholic Beverages 0.0 1.0 1.7 1.9 1.9 1.9 1.9 1.9 1.9 1.9 1.9 1.9 1.9 1.9 1.9 1.9 1.9 1.9 1.9 1.9 1.1 1.0 1.1 1.0 1.1 1.0 1.1 1.0 1.1 </td <td>424</td> <td>Sales</td> <td>.Nondurable goods</td> <td>0.0</td> <td>0.6</td> <td>1.2</td> <td>1.4</td> <td>1.6</td>	424	Sales	.Nondurable goods	0.0	0.6	1.2	1.4	1.6
4243 Sales Apparel, Piece Goods, and Notions 0.0 1.3 2.2 2.6 2.8 4244 Sales Groceries and Related Products 0.0 1.8 3.1 3.3 3.4 4245 Sales Farm Product Raw Materials 0.0 0.9 3.6 3.7 3.9 4.1 4246 Sales Chemicals and Allied Products 0.0 0.9 3.6 3.7 3.9 4.2 4247 Sales Petroleum and Petroleum Products 0.0 0.9 1.6 2.2 3.6 4248 Sales Beer, Wine, and Distilled Alcoholic Beverages 0.0 1.0 1.7 1.9 1.9 4249 Sales Beer, Wine, and Distilled Beodods 0.0 2.3 3.1 3.0 2.8 42 Inventories Motor Vehicle and Motor Vehicle Parts and Supplies 1.1 1.3 1.5 1.3 1.2 4231 Inventories Furniture and Home Furnishings 3.7 3.7 3.7 3.2 3.	4241	Sales	Paper and Paper Products	0.0	1.1	2.3	3.0	3.3
4244 Sales Groceries and Related Products 0.0 1.8 3.1 3.3 3.4 4245 Sales Farm Product Raw Materials 0.0 0.28 3.5 3.9 4.1 4246 Sales Chemicals and Allied Products 0.0 0.9 3.6 3.7 3.9 4247 Sales Petroleum and Petroleum Products 0.0 0.9 1.6 2.2 3.6 4248 Sales Beer, Wine, and Distilled Alcoholic Beverages 0.0 1.0 1.7 1.9 1.9 4249 Sales Beer, Wine, and Distilled Alcoholic Beverages 0.0 1.0 1.7 1.9 1.9 423 Inventories Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods 0.0 0.2 3.1 3.0 2.8 423 Inventories Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods 1.1 1.3 1.5 1.3 1.2 4231 Inventories Motor Vehicle and Motor Vehicle Parts and Supplies 1.7 1.8 1.6 2.1 1.6	4242	Sales	Drugs and Druggists' Sundries	0.0	1.0	3.9	3.8	4.0
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Sales Chemicals and Allied Products 0.0 0.9 3.6 3.7 3.9	4244	Sales	Groceries and Related Products	0.0	1.8	3.1	3.3	3.4
4247 Sales Petroleum and Petroleum Products 0.0 0.9 1.6 2.2 3.6 4248 Sales Beer, Wine, and Distilled Alcoholic Beverages 0.0 1.0 1.7 1.9 1.9 4249 Sales Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods 0.0 2.3 3.1 3.0 2.8 42 Inventories Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods 0.8 0.9 1.2 1.0 1.1 423 Inventories Moro Vehicle and Motor Vehicle Parts and Supplies 1.7 1.8 1.6 2.1 1.6 4231 Inventories Motor Vehicle and Motor Vehicle Parts and Supplies 1.7 1.8 1.6 2.1 1.6 4232 Inventories Furniture and Home Furnishings 3.7 3.7 3.2 3.4 3.5 4234 Inventories Computer and Computer Peripheral Equipment and Supplies 5.2 5.5 2.3 2.5 2.9 4234 Inventories Metals and Minerals, ex. Petroleum 3.1 3.6 3.1 <td>4245</td> <td>Sales</td> <td>Farm Product Raw Materials</td> <td>0.0</td> <td>2.8</td> <td>3.5</td> <td>3.9</td> <td>4.1</td>	4245	Sales	Farm Product Raw Materials	0.0	2.8	3.5	3.9	4.1
Sales Sale	4246	Sales	Chemicals and Allied Products	0.0	0.9	3.6	3.7	3.9
Sales Inventories U.S. Merchant Wholesalers U.S. M	4247	Sales	Petroleum and Petroleum Products	0.0	0.9	1.6	2.2	3.6
Inventories	4248	Sales	Beer, Wine, and Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	0.0	1.0	1.7	1.9	1.9
1.1 1.3 1.5 1.3 1.2 1.3 1.5 1.3 1.2 1.3 1.5 1.3 1.2 1.3 1.2 1.3 1.2 1.3 1.5 1.3 1.2 1.4 1.3 1.5 1.3 1.5 1.3 1.2 1.4 1.3 1.5 1.3 1.5 1.3 1.2 1.4 1.4 1.4 1.4 1.5 1.6 2.1 1.6 1.6 2.1 1.6 1.6 2.1 1.6 1.5 1.3 1.2 1.2 1.6 1.5 1.3 1.2 1.2 1.6 1.3 1.5 1.3 1.5 1.3 1.5 1.3 1.2 1.2 1.4 1.4 1.4 1.4 1.5 1.5 1.3 1.5 1.3 1.5 1.3 1.5 1.3 1.2 1.4 1.5 1.3 1.5 1.5 1.3 1.5	4249	Sales	Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	0.0	2.3	3.1	3.0	2.8
1.7 1.8 1.6 2.1 1.6 4.232 Inventories Inve	42	Inventories	U.S. Merchant Wholesalers	0.8	0.9	1.2	1.0	1.1
1	423	Inventories	.Durable goods	1.1	1.3	1.5	1.3	1.2
1	4231	Inventories	Motor Vehicle and Motor Vehicle Parts and Supplies	1.7	1.8	1.6	2.1	1.6
1.0 1.0 1.0 1.0 1.7 1.7 2.0 1.0 1.0 1.0 1.0 1.7 1.7 2.0 1.0	4232	Inventories	Furniture and Home Furnishings	3.7	3.7	3.2	3.4	3.5
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4235 Inventories Metals and Minerals, ex. Petroleum 3.1 3.6 3.1 3.8 3.8 4236 Inventories Electrical Goods 3.5 4.4 4.0 3.4 3.9 4237 Inventories Hardware, and Plumbing and Heating Equipment and Supplies 3.0 3.4 3.3 3.6 3.9 4238 Inventories Machinery, Equipment, and Supplies 1.5 2.4 3.3 3.1 2.6 4239 Inventories Miscellaneous Durable Goods 3.1 5.2 5.1 4.9 6.2 424 Inventories Nondurable goods 1.0 1.0 1.7 1.7 2.0 4241 Inventories Paper and Paper Products 2.2 2.6 5.0 5.5 5.2 4242 Inventories Paper and Paper Products 2.1 2.0 3.2 3.6 3.4 4243 Inventories Apparel, Piece Goods, and Notions 3.2 3.9 5.1 5.5 4.7 4244 Inventories Farm Product Raw Materials 6.3 9.0 4	4234	Inventories	Professional and Commercial Equipment and Supplies	5.2		2.3	2.5	2.9
4236 Inventories Electrical Goods 3.5 4.4 4.0 3.4 3.9 4237 Inventories Hardware, and Plumbing and Heating Equipment and Supplies 3.0 3.4 3.3 3.6 3.9 4238 Inventories Machinery, Equipment, and Supplies 1.5 2.4 3.3 3.1 2.6 4239 Inventories Miscellaneous Durable Goods 3.1 5.2 5.1 4.9 6.2 424 Inventories Nondurable goods 1.0 1.0 1.7 1.7 2.0 4241 Inventories Paper and Paper Products 2.2 2.6 5.0 5.5 5.2 4242 Inventories Drugs and Druggists' Sundries 2.1 2.0 3.2 3.6 3.4 4243 Inventories Apparel, Piece Goods, and Notions 3.2 3.9 5.1 5.5 4.7 4244 Inventories Groceries and Related Products 2.9 4.1 7.8 8.1 8.1 4245 Inventories Farm Product Raw Materials 6.3 9.0	42343	Inventories	Computer and Computer Peripheral Equipment and Software	4.8	7.6	5.6	4.1	4.9
4237 Inventories Hardware, and Plumbing and Heating Equipment and Supplies 3.0 3.4 3.3 3.6 3.9 4238 Inventories Machinery, Equipment, and Supplies 1.5 2.4 3.3 3.1 2.6 4239 Inventories Miscellaneous Durable Goods 3.1 5.2 5.1 4.9 6.2 424 Inventories Nondurable goods 1.0 1.0 1.7 1.7 2.0 4241 Inventories Paper and Paper Products 2.2 2.6 5.0 5.5 5.2 4242 Inventories Drugs and Druggists' Sundries 2.1 2.0 3.2 3.6 3.4 4243 Inventories Apparel, Piece Goods, and Notions 3.2 3.9 5.1 5.5 4.7 4244 Inventories Groceries and Related Products 2.9 4.1 7.8 8.1 8.1 4245 Inventories Farm Product Raw Materials 6.3 9.0 4.5 4.8 4.9 <	4235	Inventories	Metals and Minerals, ex. Petroleum	3.1	3.6	3.1	3.8	3.8
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4248 InventoriesBeer, Wine, and Distilled Alcoholic Beverages 2.1 2.5 4.6 4.2 2.9	4246	Inventories	Chemicals and Allied Products	3.3	3.9	5.9	6.3	7.5
	4247	Inventories	Petroleum and Petroleum Products	1.3	1.7	3.4	3.2	4.1
	4248	Inventories	Beer, Wine, and Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	2.1			4.2	2.9
4249 Inventories Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods 4.6 5.0 4.7 4.8 5.0	4249	Inventories	Miscellaneous Nondurable Goods	4.6	5.0	4.7	4.8	5.0

Notes:

Estimates of 2002 sales have coefficients of variation equal to zero because they are adjusted to the 2002 Economic Census.

Additional information on confidentiality protection, sampling error, sample design, and definitions may be found at http://www.census.gov/wholesale/www/methodology/011341.html

Footnotes

¹ Estimated measures of sampling variability for sales and inventories are given as coefficients of variation.

² Revised data.